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In re Application of:

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Examiner: Y. Won

Application No.: 09/755,498

Art Group: 2155

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM TO  
AGGREGATE MULTIPLE VLANS  
IN A METROPOLITAN AREA  
NETWORK

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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed July 18, 2003, please consider the following remarks.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.